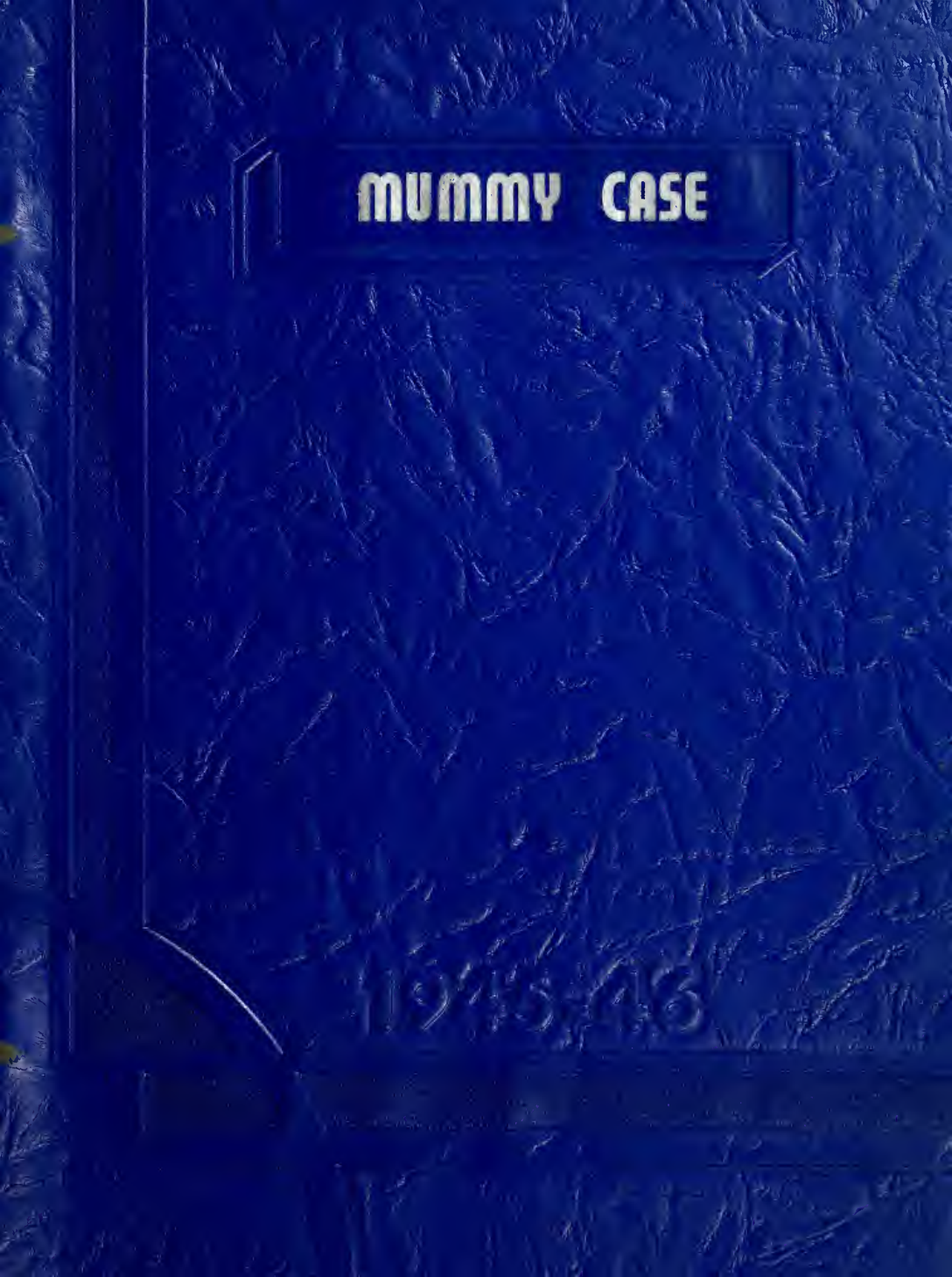
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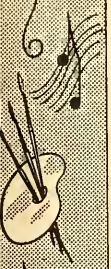

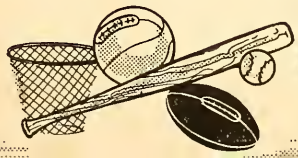

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DEDICATION

We, the class of 1946, wish to dedicate this book to Miss Florence A. Wells, an active member of the University High School faculty for the past nineteen years. Miss Wells attended Southern Illinois Normal University and received from it her Bachelor of Education Degree, and from the University of Illinois she obtained her M. A. Degree.

She is Assistant Professor and Head of the English Department at University High School, and is teacher of all four years of English.

She will be well remembered for her Courtesy Campaign which she conducts each year, and for her prominent position in the Dramatics Club in the past years.

We are happy to have the opportunity of dedicating this yearbook to such a prominent and distinguished faculty member.

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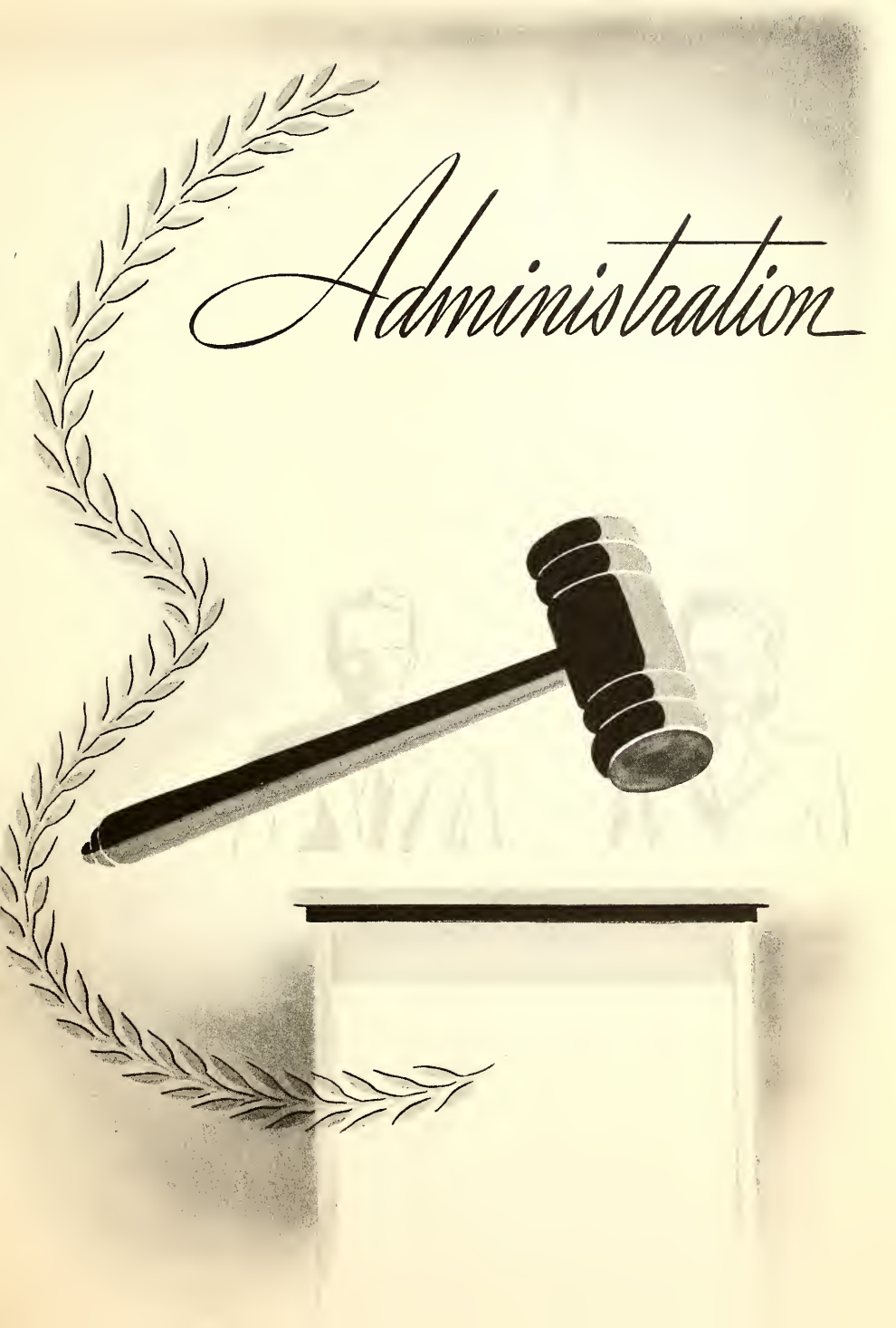

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Louise Bach, Thomas Barton, Edna Bradley, Fran Bridges, Elbert Fulkerson, Alberta Gibbons
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W. Neal Phelps, Alice Rector, Gene Rhine, Madge Sanders, Shelby Shake, Gladys Smith

Zita Spradling, Helen Starch, Dorthea Swan, Florance Wells

Seniors

SENIOR CLASS

Jane Allen

Jo Ann Allen

Robert Brooks

Margaret Brown

Charles Campbell

Glenn Carr

Richard Carpenter

Dorothy Clutts

Wanda Covington

Phoebe Cox

Ray Drew

Rex Drew

Wilma Ellis

Pauline Fite

Jack Hammons

Betty Hanson

Arthur Hanseman

Iva Hill

SENIORS

Jake Jones

Edward Koenigsmark

Betty Livingston

Meri Mann

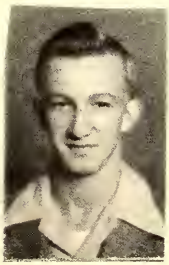
Bill T aylor

Charles Trail

George White

Alieen Wright

Ruth Wright



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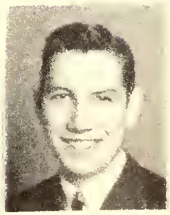
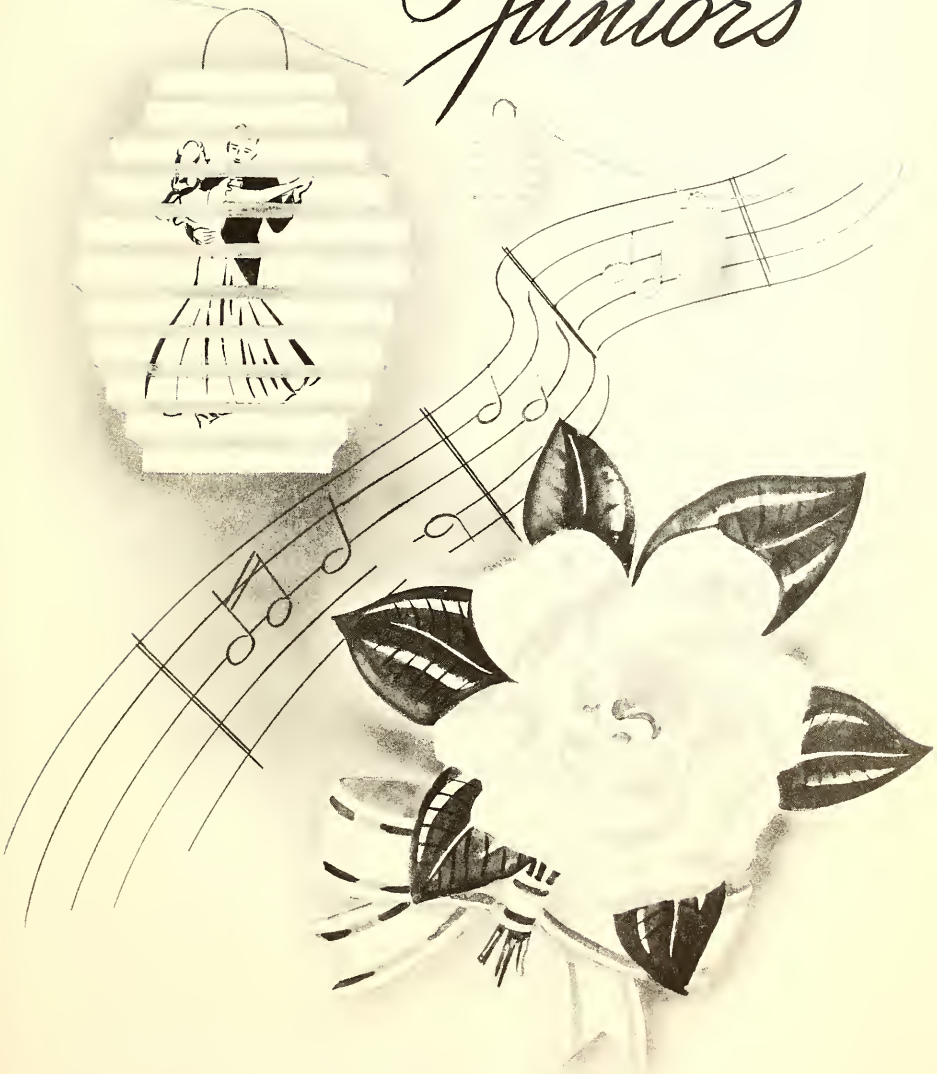
President

George White
Vice President



Bill Taylor
Secretary

Juniors

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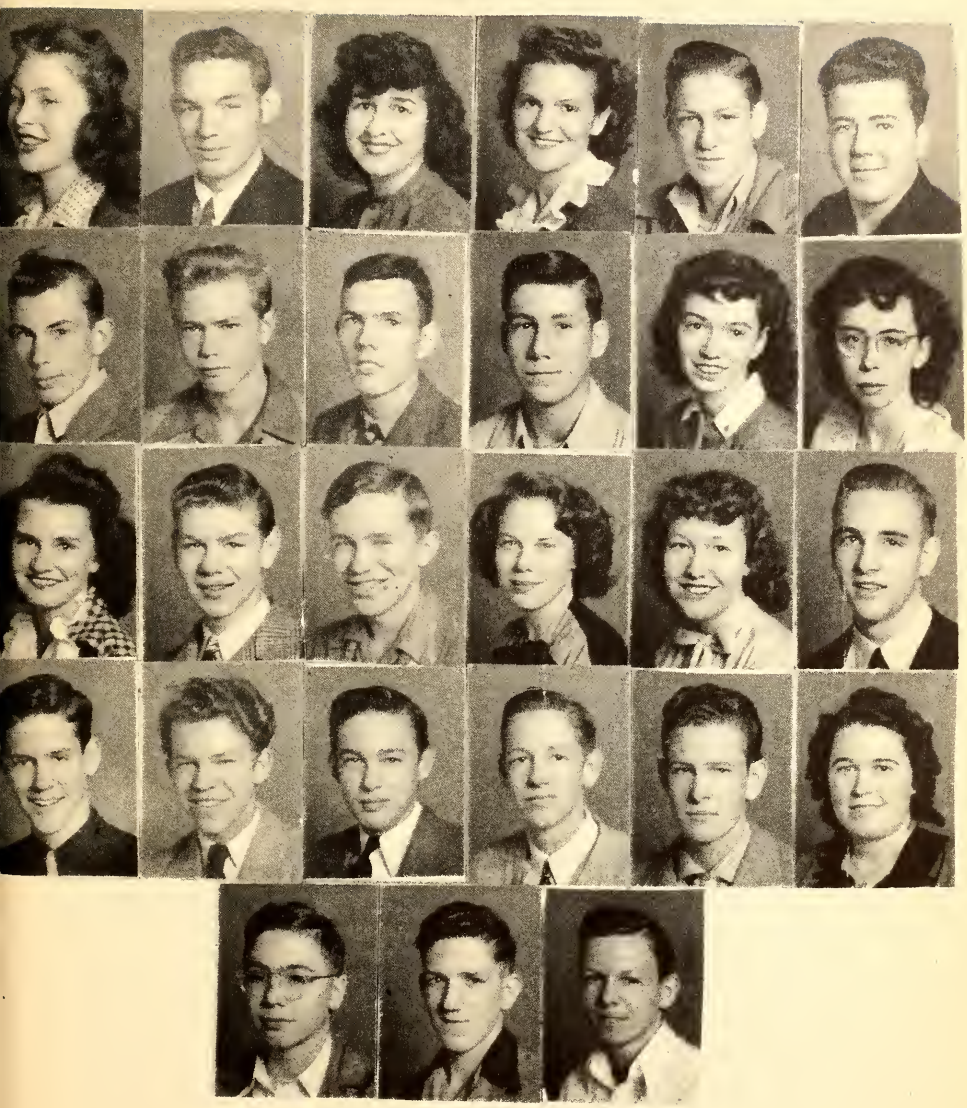

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Voglar, Webb, Yow

SOPHOMORE CLASS

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Front row: Leschke, T. McLafferty, D. Biggs, Maness

Standing: Frank, Bain, (v.pres.), Wakeland, Aitkin, Boren, Baker, Hale
Second row: Reinhardt,(pres.) Busch, Humphrey, Nance, Hagler, Trobaugh, Hunt
Front row: Champion, Crowell, Parrish

FRESHMAN CLASS

Standing: Blessing, Hall, Smith, Fligor,
2nd row: McLafferty, Johnson, Hagler, Wright, Clutts, Bonds, Davis
Front row: Fierke, Paterson, Fulkerson, Trobaugh, Crowell

Standing: Scott, Fulley, Linton, Chester, Swart, Griffin
2nd row: Hill, Frost, Forby, Dickerman, O'Dell, Presley, Phelps,(sponsor
Front row: Hagler, McCalla, Johnson, Page

EIGHTH GRADE

Back row: [illegible], Johnson, Patton, Bryant, Cover, Hunter, Colvis, Renn
2nd row: Pulliam, Reed, Mc Intyre, Van Lente
Front row: Kelley, Abbott, Foley, Johnston

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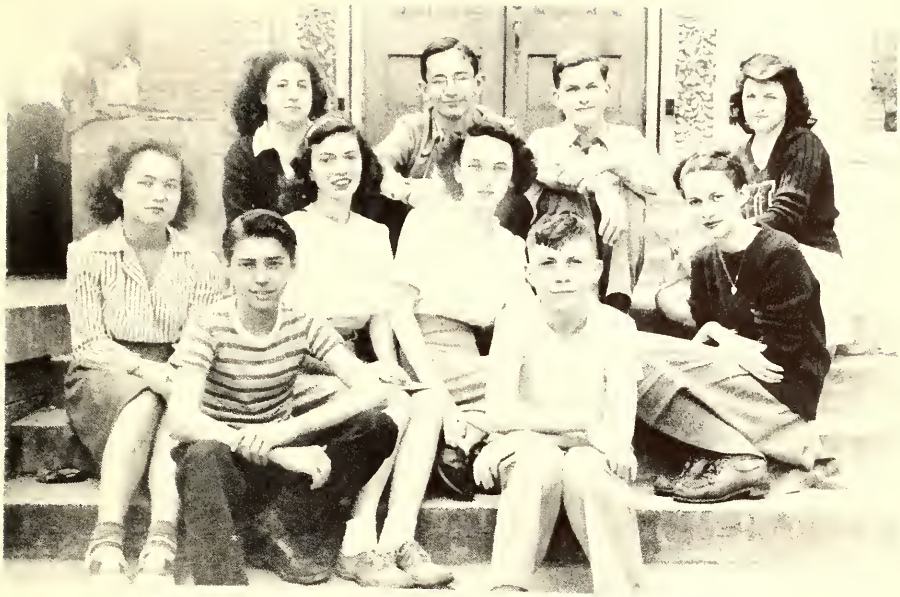
Activities



Back row: Cox (editor), Atkins, Dickerman, Livingston
Front row: Hill, Barry, Nelson, Gill, Biggs, Fulkerson

YEARBOOK STAFF

The Funny Case Staff of 1945-46 under the sponsorship of Mrs. Dorothea Swan presents to the students of U. High the first annual since 1943.

The members of the staff were elected from the student body. One representative being chosen from each grade from 7 through 10. Two representatives were chosen from the Junior class and an editor was chosen from the Senior class. Later the editor appointed three members of the Senior class as staff members.

We, the staff, sincerely hope that this book will be a reminder of many cherished memories in U. High and in the years to come you look through this book and find many happy memories.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council of 1945-46 accomplished more things for the good of the school as a whole than any other single organization.

The Council was composed of two representatives from each grade from 9 through 12, and one representative from each the seventh and eighth grades.

This groupe under the leadership of Dr. Wm. Neal Phelps sponsored a series of all school parties, planned Homecoming, decorated the buildings for Christmas, planned and gave a radio broadcast and were responsible for school elections held in the spring.

Dorothy Clutts, a senior, was president; Robert Reinhardt, a sophomore, was vice president; and Eva Rednour, a junior, was secretary

GIRLS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

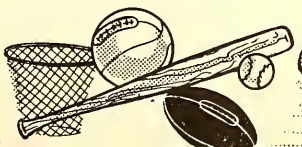
The Girls Athletic Association of University High School, under the sponsorship of Miss Spradling, has had a very successful year of activities.

The officers who were elected last spring are: president, Phoebe Cox; vice president, Margaret Brown; secretary, Teresa McLafferty; Point secretary, Sarah McLafferty; team sports manager, Myrna Presley; and individual sports manager, Betty Livingston.

A welcoming party and candle-lit service was held October 10. Nineteen new members took the pledge which was administered by President Cox. Refreshments were then served, thus ending the evenin's entertainment.

On October 22 a business meeting was held at which the awards of last year were given out. Eleven received the small letters and nine received the large letters.

A basketball tournament was the main event of the winter season. Four teams were composed from those students who wished to enter. Meri Mann, Phoebe Cox, Pauline Fite, and Betty Livingston were chosen captains of the four teams. Livingston's team was again this year the champion team by winning three out of three games. Madelyn Davis of Livingston's team was high point woman for the tournament, scoring 34 points. Jeanne Mc Nier scored 25 points and Pauline Fite scored 24 points.



STUDENT COUNCIL

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GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

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Carlington, Johnson, R. McLafferty, Fligor, Blessing.
2nd row: Presley, J. Cox, Crader, T. McLafferty, Maness, Ellis, Bonds
Front row: Marberry, Dole, Lloyd, McNair, S. McLafferty, Wright, Livingston
Fulkerson, Hall

THE SPHINX STAFF

The SPHINX Staff has been a well known organization for the past eight years at University High School. Its purpose is to publish all news and to mold opinion for the good of the school. Any student who is willing to work may apply for membership on the staff. Miss Louise Bach is the sponsor of this organization. Robert Brooks, a senior a. University High School, was editor-in-chief during the year of 1945-46 Phoebe Cox and Dorothy Clutts were associate editors. In addition to these three students eleven other members served on the staff in the past year.

SCIENCE CLUBS

Due to the compstent leadership of the sponsor, Mrs. Audrey Lindsey the Science Club has undertaken several interesting and worth while projects this year.

At the beginning of the school season, the students studied atomic energy and the development of the atomic bomb. When this project was concluded, they presented an assembly program summarizing their study of this subject.

The second semester was spent working on individual projects which the members took to the state meeting at Bloomington the first of May

The Science Club has been organized for a number of years and has been under Mrs. Lindsey's expert guidance and this year, as much as ever, the members have been inspired by her helpful and instructive leadership.

SPHINX STAFF

Back row: Bach, (sponsor), Clutts, (asso. editor), Cox, (asso. editor), Pitkin, McLafferty, Dickerman, Livingston, Forsyth
Front row: Zeschke, Hill, Bednour, Sill, Wright, Fulkerson, Paterson, Biggs

Science Club

Standing: Dickerman, Wakeland, (sec-tres.), Bryant, Pitkin, Patton, Colvis
2nd row : Kelly, Trobaugh, Jean Lawson, Lewis, Nelson, Paterson, (v. pres) Lindsey,(sponsor), Fulkerson, Parrish, Johnston, Pulliam
Front row: Hunter, Barry, Foley, Van Lente, Reed, Abbott, Joan Lawson, Biggs

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

The Home Economics Club which has recently become known as the Future Homemakers of America was organized this year upon our campus for the first time. The purpose of this club is to study and understand the valur of Home Economics. This is a National Organization and is sponsored by Miss Helen Starck, our high school Home Economics teachar. In October of 1945 the members had a formal candlelight initiation. The newly elected officers were: President, Iva Hill; Vice Presidant, Doris Crader; Secretary, Mary Lou Wright; Treasurer, Jane Fieke; Parliamentarian, Mary Evalyn Cole; Historian, Marilyn Nelson; Pianist, Margaret Trobaugh; Song leader, Marie Zeschke; and Reporter, Phylis Johnston. The club members have had meetings on the first Monday of every month and have had social gatherings once a month. One of the highlights of the social functions was the Mother and Daughter Banquet, which was held in April of this year.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

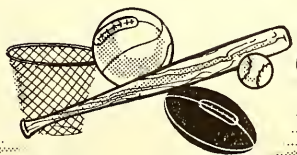
The Future Farmers of America had a successful year as can be seen from their activies and achievements. The activities started off at the Section 20 Livestock and Produce show on September 7, with several boys from U. High having enteries in the shew.

Other activitives which members of the organization participated in are; The Leaders Training School at Anna, Poultry and Grain show at Vienna, Section20 Public Speaking Contest, and a Livestock and Dairy judging contest held in Carbondale.

The organization as a whole, also carried on many worth while projects, They initietad seven Greenhands, sold concessions at the basketball games, held a joint party with the Future Hememakers of America, sponsored a Box Supper, gave two radio broadcasts, and carried out their Program of Werk, which was judged at CCHS in March.

The F.F.A. had e basketball team and they had a good time playing in the games although they never won any.

Jim Cecil and Joe McLafferty applied for their State Farmer Degrees and Joe received his. Edward Koenigamark, and Charles Trail received their State Farmer Degrees last year.



Home Economics Club

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Front row: Trobaugh, Wright, [illegible], Pierke, Hill, (pres.)

F. F. A.

Back row: D. Forby, Dusch, D. Hagler, Wakeland, J. Hagler, Nance, Pupple, Clutts, Parks
2nd row: Linton, Parrish, Frost, McCalla, Jacobs, (sponsor)
Front row: Cecil, McLafferty, Koenigsmark, (pres.), Trail

HOMECOMING

The climax of the University High School Homecoming came when Miss Dorothy Clutts was crowned queen of 1945-46 by Jim Renfro, football captain.

Festivities got under way in the morning with a pep meeting held in the gym. After the pep meeting was over, classes were dismissed for the remainder of the day.

The loss of the game in the afternoon to Christopher did not lower the morale of the students. At 7:00 P. M. an all school party was held in the gym under the supervision of several of the faculty members

At nine o'clock,in the Little Theater, Miss Marilyn Nelson played "Pomp and Circumstance" to which the Queen and her court entered

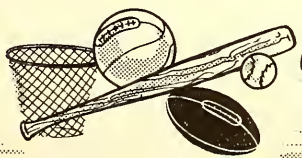
The freshmen attendants entered first; Dorothy Ann Paterson and Margaret Ann Trobaugh; sophomores were, Patricia Braggs and Jeanne Lloyd; Eva Mae Rednour and Peggy Ellis were junior attendents; Betty Hanson, Alieen Wright, Pauline Fite,and Meri Mann were attendents from the senior class. Train bearers were Virgil Beadle, and Billy Chaney. The crown bearer was Frankie Hart.

Dorothy ascended the throne in a white satin and blue net formal and the queen's robe of gold taffeta. She carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums.

Immediately following the crowning of the queen, Marilyn played "Beautiful Lady". Dorothy then descended from her throne to reign as the Football Queen of 1946-46.

After the coronation, dancing was held in the Little Theater. Sammy Otey's orchestra was obtained for the dance. Games were held in the gymnasium for those who did not care to dance.

The Little Theater was attractively decorated for the occasion. Mr. Shelby Shake supervised the decorating. Mrs. Audrey Lindsey supervised the coronation ceremony. The Studnet Council was the head Sponsor of Homecoming and was responsible for its success.



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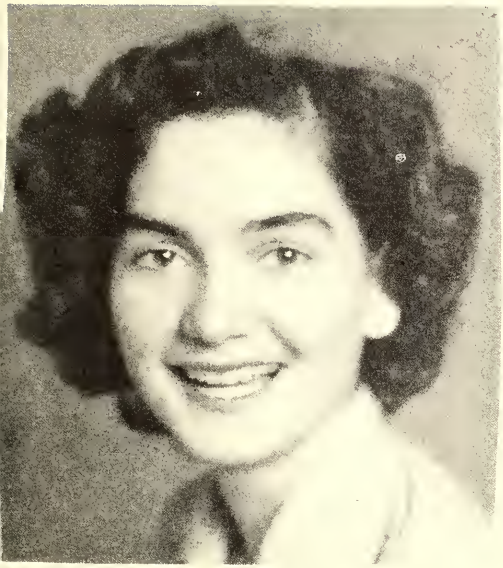


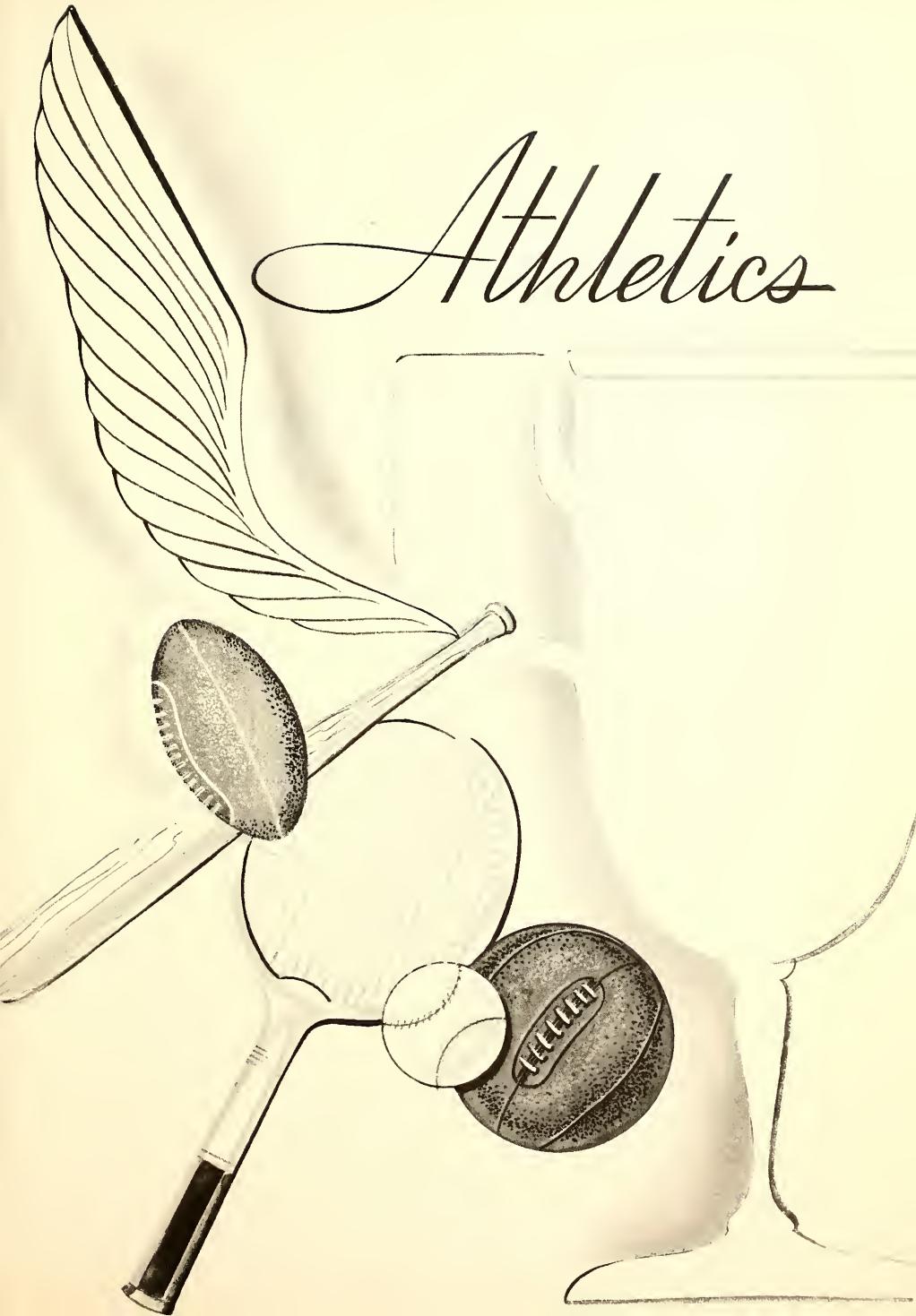
Dorothy Clutts, [illegible] very popular and charming senior was crowned Homecoming Queen of 1945-46 by Jim Renfro the Football captain.

Dot has been a very active student since coming to U. High. This year she has been kept busy as President of the Student Council Cheerleader, Associate Editor of the Sphinx, and with one of the main parts in the spring play.

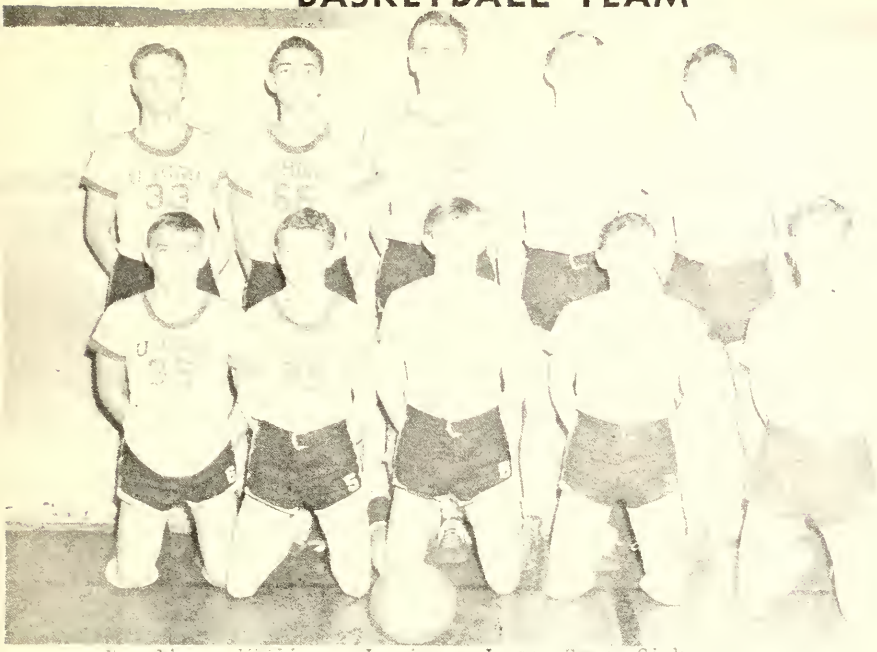
Left to right; Trobaugh, Lloyd, Rednour, Hanson, Fite, Clutts (Queen), Renfro, Mann, Hart, Wright, Ellis, Braggs, Paterson

Seated; Chaney, Beadle

Athletics



BASKETBALL TEAM



Kneeling: Williams, Jennings, Jones, Swan, Sisk
Standing: Drew, Reinhardt, Renfro (Captain), Campbell, Taylor

The University High School basketball team won 8 games while losing 10 in the 1948-49 season. The team was crippled during most of the games by the absence of injured players. At the beginning of the season influenza struck the squad. The presence of these absent players could easily have turned several losses into victories for U. High. Five seniors were out for basketball. They were Taylor, Winfield, Drew, Campbell and Jones. Campbell was high point man for the season with a total score of 108.

The fine start of the team was soon marred by a series of mishaps. Mumps, influenza, and a bad case of blood poisoning are among the calamities that beset the Lynxes. In the Coal Belt Conference tourney U. High's team was nosed out by the Elkville Bluebirds, 42-41 in what was easily the best game of the tournament.

This year was the first in the history of the Coal Belt Conference which is made up of medium sized schools. U. High has the smallest enrollment in the conference, however. The other schools are; Christopher, Elkville, Sesser, Ziegler, Carterville and Hurst Bush.

Track

Standing: McLafferty, O'Neil, Renfro, Jones,
Seated: Frank, Hagler, G. Ford, Hudson, Ha

This year was one first in a number of years [illegible] emphasis was placed on track at U. High. William Townes, assis[illegible], was in charge of the track team. Cobden lost to U. High [illegible] Lyman's only victory.

Joe McLafferty, U. High's outstanding trackman, [illegible] mile in the District meet and went to State. This is the [illegible] that Joe has gone to state as he went last year. His best time [illegible] the mile was 4:41.

Jr. High Basketball

ck row: Hunter, Patton, Bryant, Forsyth, Bame, Barry, Behn
ont row: Gene Figgs, Norman, Johnson, Gerald Biggs, Cover, Bud Colvis, Bill Colvis

The Junior High Season started off with a bang, when they won their first game. They had nine games and won three of them or 33 1/3% of the games for the year.

The team improbed this year. The first team played the DeSoto five at the beginning of the year and lost 40 to 8. Near the end of the season. they played the same team again and won 16 to 14.

The first five were, Forwards; Sammy Hunter and Gene Behn, Center, Paul Bryant; and Guards, Lynn Barry and Robert Forsyth.

There were one hundred and twenty eight points scored in their games this year. This wasn't including the points made in tournament games.

The Junior High boys wish to thank Mr. Frank Bridges for his work as coach of their team.

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1946

We the Seniors of 1946 being of sound mind and body, do hereby will our proud possessions and talents to the following classes and students:

We leave to the Junior class the priviledge of becoming intelligent Seniors. To the Sophomore class we leave the honor of becoming proud Juniors. And, to the Freshmen, we leave the anticipation of three long years of work and study.

And now what we individually will:

Jane Allen wills her versatile personality to Marilyn Nelson.

Jo Ann Allen wills her job at Walgraen's to Madelyn Davis.

Robert Brooks wills his way with College girls to Gerald "Dumbo" Hunt.

Margaret Brown wills her list of nicknames to Virda Sill.

Charles Campbell wills his quiet and bashful manner to Donald Yow.

Wanda Covington leaves her back yard for wiener roasts to Peggy Ellis.

Dot Clutts leaves her Queenship to Eva Rednour.

Glenn Carr wills his deep base voice to Charles Dickerman.

Phoebe Cox wills her D.A.R. award to the best qualified girl of the Junior class.

Bob Cromeenes wills his absentee record to Barbara Swartz.

Ray Drew wills his membership in the B.Y.P. to Philip Pflasterer.

Rex Drew wills his red hair to Jane Fierke.

Pauline Fito wills her attraction for the Navy to Eva Rednour.

Jack Hammons wills his job at Daniels to Frank Parrish.

Art Hanseman wills his convertible to anyone who is lucky enough to get it

Iva Hill wills her pajamas, made in Home Ec., to Shirley Manese.

Ed. Koenigsmark wills his presidency of the F.F.A. to Wallace Sisk.

Meri Mann wills her place on the Problems Panel to Bill Myers.

Charles Trail wills his knowledge of cows to Richard Vogler

Jim Thomas wills his dancing ability to Pete Humphrey.

George White wills his love for the South to Ann O'Dell.

Earl Winfield wills his grades in Algebra to Jim Renfro.

Aileen Wright wills her dimples (both of them) to Mary Evelyn Cole.

Ruth Wright wills her love for writing short stories to Mary Blessing.

Jake Jones wills to Jim Champion his ability to be the best example of the wrong attitude in Mr. Shake's class.

James Gregory wills his guitar to John Travelstead.

Betty Hanson wills her fondness for arguments to Minnie Marberry.

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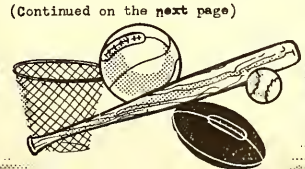


THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT (conti)

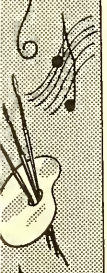
Betty Livingston wills to Jim Pitken her wrestling ability.

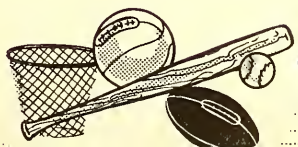
Bill Taylor wills his love for hillbilly music to Davey Swan.

Ed Smith wills his ability to play the piano in front of crowds to Gene Troutman.

Wilma Ellis wills her orderly locker to Marie Zeschke.

(Signed) THE SENIOR CLASS





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